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SUBJECT: ISLAMIC FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

SMMARY: WE PROVIDE SUMMARY OF CONFERENCE RESOLUTIONS
AND WILL AIRGRAM ANY AVAILABLE DETAILS ABOUT BENGHAZI
MEETING. END SUMMARY.

1. FOURTH ISLAMIC FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE AT
BENGHAZI WOUND DOWN MARCH 26. RESOLUTIONS WERE
PUBLISHED FOLLOWING DAY. FBIS' M1530, MARCH 27
WERE, AS USUAL, EXCELLENT; FBIS' M1530, MARCH 27
CARRIES TEXT LAR RADIO ANNOUNCEMENT OF RESOLUTIONS.
SUMMARY OF RESOLUTIONS FOLLOWS: AVAILABLE DETAILS
ABOUT CONFERENCE WILL BE POUCHED SOONEST.

2. PALESTINE. NOT UNEXPECTEDLY, CONSIDERING FACT
LARG WAS HOST, PALESTINE TENDED TO COME TO FORE,
DESPITE FACT MAIN AGENDA ITEM HAD BEEN BILLED AS
SITUATION OF MUSLIM MINORITY IN PHILIPPINES. CONFERENCE
RESOLVED: (A) PALESTINIANS HAVE RIGHT " TO LIBERATE
LAND" AND TO SELF DETERMINATION; B) PLO IS " ONLY
LEGITIMATE REPRESENTATIVE OF PALESTINIAN PEOPLE";
C) PALESTINIANS MUST RECEIVE SUPPORT NECESSARY TO
REGAIN " OCCUPIED TERRITORIES" AND TO PARALYZE ATTEMPTS
TO DESTROY PALESTINIAN RESISTANCE; D) ISLAMIC STATES
SHOULD OPEN OFFICES FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR RESISTANCE AND PLO;
E) ISLAMIC STATES SHOULD SEVER POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC
TIES WITH ISRAEL; F) GREAT POWERS MUST CEASE MILITARY,
ECONOMIC, AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT FOR ISRAELI
AGGRESSOR; G) JEWISH IMMIGRATION TO " OCCUPIED
PALESTINE" MUST CEASE; H) PALESTINE STRUGGLE FUND
TO BE ESTABLISHED; I) MASSES SHOULD BE ENLIGHTENED
RE AIMS OF PALESTINE RESISTANCE AND REAL DANGER OF
ZIONIST MOVEMENT; J) SECRETARIAT GENERAL SHOULD
CONTINUE ITS EFFORTS TO THWART ANNEXATION AND JUDAIZATION
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OF JERUSALEM; AND K) SYG WILL REPORT ON RESULTS IN

THIS SPHERE AT NEXT CONFERENCE IN KABUL (MAY 1974).

3. MIDDLE EAST. CONFERENCE RESOLVED IT ADHERES TO DEMAND ISRAEL WITHDRAW UNCONDITIONALLY FROM " ALL TERRITORY" OCCUPIED IN 1967, CONDEMN ISRAEL' S VIOLATION OF UN RESOLUTIONS IN THIS REGARD, AND CALLS ON PERMANENT MEMBERS OF UNSC TO ADOPT MEASURES NECESSARY TO EFFECT ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL.

4. RED SEA. CONFERENCE CALLED ON MEMBER STATES TO UNIFY ARAB/ ISLAMIC EFFORTS TO FRUSTRATE ZIONIST DESIGNS ON RED SEA BASIN.

5. TERRITORY OF AFARS AND ISSAS. LAR, TUNISIA, AND SOMALIA TO USE GOOD OFFICES WITH FRENCH GOVERNMENT TO ACHIEVE INDEPENDENCE OF TERRITORY.

6. PHILIPPINES. CONFERENCE DEMANDED GOVERNMENT OF PHILIPPINES PUT IMMEDIATE END TO " ACTS OF SUPPRESSION AND ANNIHILATION" IT CARRYING OUT AGAINST MUSLIM MINORITY IN VIOLATION HUMAN RIGHTS DECLARATION AND UN CHARTER, RETURN MUSLIM REFUGEES TO THEIR HOMES, AND CEASE CHRISTIAN IMMIGRATION INTO MUSLIM AREAS. CONFERENCE DECIDED ESTABLISH FUND FOR MUSLIMS IN PHILIPPINES. FORMERS OF LAR, SAUDI ARABIA, SENEGAL, AND SOMALIA DELEGATED TO VISIT MANILA WITHIN THREE MONTHS TO DISCUSS PROBLEM WITH GOP. MEANWHILE, INDONESIA AND MALAYSIA WERE REQUESTED TO USE GOOD OFFICES WITH PHILIPPINES ON BEHALF MUSLIM MINORITY.

7. PAKISTANI POWS. CONFERENCE EXPRESSED ANXIETY RE CONTINUED DETENTION OF PAKISTANI PRISONERS BY INDIA, URGED GOI TO RELEASE THEM IMMEDIATELY, AND CALLED ON UN SYG TO INTERVENE TO SEEK IMPLEMENTATION RELEVANT UNGA RESOLUTIONS.

8. AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS. CONFERENCE DENOUNCED PORTUGUESE AND " OTHER EUROPEAN" COLONIALIST POLICIES AND CONDEMNED RACIAL DISCRIMINATION " IN SOUTH AFRICA AND ZIMBABWE (RHODESIA)

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9. ERITREA. CONFERENCE DECLARED " FULL SYMPATHY" WITH ERITREAN PEOPLE IN THEIR LEGITIMATE STRUGGLE FOR FREEDOM, CALLED ON OAU " TO TACKLE ERITREAN ISSUE", AND ASKED ETHIOPIA TO " HALF MILITARY ACTION AGAINST UNARMED

ERITREAN PEOPLE".

10. ISLAM. CONFERENCE EXPRESS ANXIETY RE MUSLIM MINORITIES IN NUMBER OF COUNTRIES AND CALLED FOR SECRETARIAT REPORT; RESOLVED TO ESTABLISH CREDIBLE, WELL- FINANCED INTERNATIONAL ISLAMIC NEWSAGENCY; AND DECIDED TO CONVENE CONFERENCES OF ISLAMIC CULTURAL CENTERS IN EUROPE AND, LATER, ELSEWHERE TO DISCUSS SITUATION OF MUSLIM MINORITIES AND MEANS OF SPREADING ISLAM.

11. JIHAD FUND. CONFERENCE DECIDED ESTABLISH JIHAD FUND WITH BRANCHES IN ALL MEMBER STATES TO ASSIST ISLAMIC LIBERATION MOVEMENTS, AID ISLAMIC CULTURAL ACTIVITIES, PROVIDE SUCCOUR IN WAKE NATURAL DISASTERS, AND ASSIST SCHOOL AND HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION. A PERMANENT " WAYS AND MEANS" COMMITTEE IS TO BE SET UP TO ARRANGE FINANCING OF FUND.

12. COMMENT: LITTLE INFORMATION ABOUT THE CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS BEYOND THAT PUBLISHED IN THE LARG- CONTROLLED MEDIA HAS TRICKLED TO TRIPOLI TO DATE; WE EXPECT SUNDRY ADDRESSEE POSTS WILL IN DUE COURSE RECEIVE INSIGHTS INTO SOME OF MORE INTERESTING DEBATES, I. E. THOSE ON PALESTINE / MIDDLE EAST, PHILIPPINES, AND ERITREA.
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